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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants are submitting simultaneously herewith a new divisional application.
Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 1, before line 1, please add the following:

--This application is a divisional of copending application 09/423,349, now allowed, filed November 22, 1999, which is hereby incorporated by reference, which claims benefit of PCT application number PCT/US99/21518, filed September 17, 1999 which claims benefit of provisional application 60/101,721, filed September 24, 1998.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 8-14.

REMARKS

Applicants have amended the specification to comply with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 120. As such, these amendments do not constitute new matter and their entry is respectfully requested.

In view of the foregoing amendment it is respectfully submitted that all claims are in condition for allowance. Early and favorable action is requested.

If any additional fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 50-0850.

Respectfully submitted,

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